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1. COMMITTEE I: DISCERNIBLE EFFORTS CONTINUED AMONG LDC
MODERATES AUGUST 20 TO EXPLORE IDEAS FOR GETTING CI OFF
DEAD-CENTER FOLLOWING THURSDAY'S UNIFIED INDISTRIALIZED
COUNTRY RESPONSE TO G-77 ACCESS AMENDMENTS. PRIVATE
CONSULTATIONS FOCUSED ON (A) POTENTIAL FOR FORMING SMALL
NEGOTIATING GROUP WITH DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVES FROM
G-77 AND INDISTRIALIZED COUNTRIES; AND (B) NEED TO REACH
GENERAL AGREEMENT ON NEUTRAL FORMULATION OF ARTICLE 22
WITHIN NEXT FEW DAYS WITH A VIEW TOWARDS CREATING SENSE OF
MOVEMENT IN CI, EVEN THOUGH DIFFICULT PROBLEMS ON ACCESS
SYSTEM WOULD BE LEFT FOR ANNEX. MANY LDC LEADERS
ARE GENUINELY CONCERNED THAT CONTINUED STALEMATE IN CI
THIS SESSION MAY HAVE SPILL-OVER EFFECT ON OTHER COMMITTEES
AND ESSENTIALLY DOOM CONFERENCE. MOST SERIOUS PROBLEM IN
CAPITALIZING ON THIS SENSE OF DESPAIR AND GENERATING
SUBSTANTIVE NEGOTIATION WITH G-77 SUPPORTED REPRESENTATIVES
IS IDEOLOGICAL OBSTINANCY OF A FEW KEY G-77 LEADERS, SUCH
AS JAGOTA (INDIA), WHO CONTINUE TO RAISE IN PRIVATE
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THEORETICAL AND CONCEPTUAL CRITICISMS OF DUAL ACCESS

SYSTEM. G-77 MODERATES (MEMBERS OF SECRET BRAZIL GROUP) EXHIBIT REAL RELUCTANCE TO MOVE TOO QUICKLY AHEAD OF THESE EXTREMISTS FOR FEAR OF LOSING THEIR NEWLY REGAINED LEADERSHIP ROLE IN CI. US DEL WILL ATTEMPT TO MAINTAIN LOW-KEY, BUT STEADY PRESSURE ON G-77 IN HOPES OF BREAKING DOWN INFLUENCE OF THESE EXTREMISTS.

2. COMMITTEE II: CHAIRMAN AGUILAR ANNOUNCED NEW WORK PROGRAM FOR REMAINDER OF SESSION. SMALL GROUP DISCUSSIONS CONTINUE ON MARGIN AND ECONOMIC ZONE FOR TWO WEEKS, THEN ON SEPTEMBER 7, COMMITTEE WILL LOOK AT DELIMITATION BETWEEN OPPOSITE AND ADJACENT STATES, AND INTERNATIONAL STRAITS. IN SMALL GROUP ON ECONOMIC ZONE, US IS UNDER PRESSURE TO MOVE BUT HOLDING FIRM LINE. FEELERS BEING MADE TOWARD A COMPROMISE FROM CANADA AND MEXICO.

3. COMMITTEE III: THE PRESENTATION OF A PROPOSED COMPROMISE BY CHAIRMAN YNAKOV PRODUCED NO AGREEMENT ON THE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH REGIME. HOWEVER, THE DEVELOPING COUNTRY POSITIONS, IN COMMENTING ON THE PROPOSAL, CENTERED ON PARAGRAPH ONE OF ARTICLE 60 OF THE RSNT. THEY INSIST ON THE RETENTION OF THIS PARAGRAPH WHICH CONTAINS THE OVERALL CONSENT CONCEPT. THE DEGREE TO WHICH THEY WOULD BE WILLING TO COMPROMISE ON OTHER ISSUES IS NOT YET CLEAR ALTHOUGH WE HAVE HAD SOME INDICATIONS THAT THE OTHER ISSUES IN THE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH TEXT ARE OF CONSIDERABLY LESS IMPORTANCE.

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